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This sculpture is one of sixty-one masterly executed bronzes from India, on view through February 27 at The Cleveland Museum of Art. This particular bronze is of a female deity, Parvati, the wife of Shiva, also one of the Hindu faith's divinities. Parvati is often conceived as the archetypal mother goddess whose nature is shared by the other female divinities and by all womanhood. She is also the goddess of death, taking back to herself all that to which she has given birth.

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